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Title: **Method And Apparatus For Temperature Compensation Of Read-Only Memory**

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A translation of FR 2 071 501 A is not provided. The reference is identified as technological background. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(a)(3), a concise explanation of the relevance of this reference is provided.

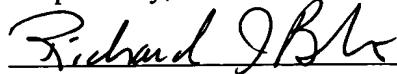
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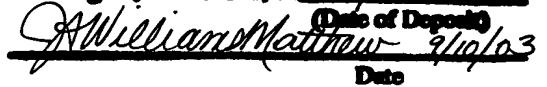
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**FR 2 071 501 A**

The reference, cited as technological background, describes a memory matrix that has linear resistors (35). The resistors cross the lines (31) and columns (32) of the memory.



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## **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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	AD	FR 2071501	09/17/1971	France	G11	c5/00	No

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